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FREEDOM OF RUMANIA VITAL TO WORLD PEACE

JIMONDS RATES IT ABOVE ALSACE-LORRAINE ISSUE.

Within Week Will Come News of Allied Advance to Austrian Frontiers.

(By Frank H. Jimonds.)

New York, Oct. 18.—(Copyright, N. Y. Tribune.)—The announcement of the occupation of Durazzo and Tirana in Albania, of Prizrend, Mitrovica and Nish in Serbia, and of Drama and Seres in Greece, supply solid proof of the fashion in which the Balkan situation is being liquidated and the old barrier between Germany and her eastern adventures is being restored.

Within a week or ten days we may expect to hear of the arrival of Italian and French forces at the frontiers of Austria-Hungary, dividing Serbia and Montenegro from Bosnia and Dalmatia. Serbian troops at their old capital of Belgrade, and it is not beyond the limits of possibility that before a fortnight, French troops may be in Sarajevo, where the match was laid to the whole European tinder box four years and a half ago by the assassination of the archduke.

Greece, Serbia, Albania are thus in a fair way to be freed of Central European control within the briefest possible time. Mitteleuropa is done for, and we are all watching with justified confidence for that surrender of the Turk, which cannot long be delayed, despite the German warships in the Golden Horn. When it comes it will close the eastern phase of Germany's great adventure.

But, as the allied troops approach the Danube there is raised anew the problem of Rumania, and we learn through Berlin and Vienna that the Rumanian government is already beginning to make inquiries for shadowing a demand for the revision of the treaty of Bucharest, which made Rumania a vassal of the central powers, deprived her of the Dobruja and gave her indefensible frontiers toward Austria-Hungary.

The present Rumanian ministry, headed by Marghiloman, cannot be trusted, and will hardly last the few days before the allied troops, in freeing Serbia, reach the Rumanian frontier. It represents the small but influential German element in Rumania. It is composed of the politicians who fought against Rumanian entry into the war and corresponds to the various ministries raised by Constantine.

CATARRHAL DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES

Tells Safe and Simple Way to Treat and Relieve at Home.

If you have catarrh, catarrhal deafness or head noises caused by catarrh, or if phlegm drops in your throat and has caused catarrh of the stomach or bowels you will be glad to know that these distressing symptoms may be entirely overcome in many instances by the following treatment which you can easily prepare in your own home at little cost. Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Parment (Double Strength). Take this home and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. An improvement is sometimes noted after the first day's treatment. If no improvement should be easy, while the distressing head noises, headaches, dullness, cloudy thinking, etc., should gradually disappear under the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of smell, taste, defective hearing and mucus dripping in the back of the throat are other symptoms which suggest the presence of catarrh and which may often be overcome by this efficacious treatment. It is said that nearly ninety per cent. of all ear troubles are caused by catarrh and there must, therefore, be many people whose hearing may be restored by this simple, harmless home treatment.

THE AMERICAN

VOLUNTEER STATE LIFE BUILDING

time of Greece in the period in which he played the German game at Athens. A return of John Brattlake and of Take Jonescu is certain, once Rumania is again in physical contact with strong allies. And the hour is thus at hand when the western world must do justice to Rumania. Justice consists in the liberation of the Rumanian populations of Austria and of Hungary, and it is in the latter state that the mass of Rumanians live. We must not be deceived now by the obvious intention of the Magyars to secede from Austria and demand their own independence and territorial integrity.

Territorial integrity for Hungary would mean the perpetration of the enslavement of the Slovaks, the Serbo-Croats and the Rumanians, together more murderous than the Magyars themselves.

Fortunately for the Rumanians, our French, Italian and British allies pledged themselves to the national reintegration of Rumania two years ago when Rumania entered the war.

But it is essential that the United States should appreciate the Rumanian situation. Not even the Poles have suffered more than the Rumanians. Not even the Germans have been as savage in their persecutions as have the Magyars. Rumania fell because of the treachery.

She was sold to the central powers by the Stuermer ministry in 1916, with the deliberate purpose to procure a Rumanian defeat and capitalize this into a negotiated peace which would save the Russian but renege the pending revolution.

Forty years before Russia betrayed Rumania in similar fashion after Euxine and stole Bessarabia, which has now, by the vote of its own legislature, returned to the Rumanian kingdom.

Greece is free from German influence, Bulgaria is in our hands. Serbia will be completely liberated, and only a tiny bit of Albania is left for a few hours to the Austrians, but the Rumanian task is all to do.

Four million eastern Latins await liberation. They are entitled to it. Not only is this a question of justice, it is also a matter of safety. In freeing the Rumanians we shall create a Latin state, having a larger number than that of the mainland of Italy, number nearly 14,000,000 inhabitants and planted as a permanent barrier to any renewal of the German expansion toward the east.

Jugo-Slavia and Greater Rumania are the guarantees of the future in southeastern Europe. As the German retreats, his recession is like that of Napoleon after Leipzig.

State after state and people after people are rising to liberty, to national unity. These peoples are to be the foundation of the new system of right and justice in Europe.

Another, envisaging the strong and racially compact Rumanian nation, must be added.

President Wilson's "Fourteen points" and the "March of the World."

New York, Oct. 17.—(Copyright, N. Y. Tribune.)—The turning movement which has begun north and at Lille is the last stage of the liberation of France. It is also the first step in the freeing of Belgium.

With Lille and the adjoining cities of Roubaix and Tourcoing in French hands, the Germans will hold next to nothing French between the Meuse and the Scheldt. East of the Meuse they will hold the considerable fraction of the Ardennes and Meurthe-et-Moselle departments, which include the Briey and Longwy iron districts. All else of their conquests in France have gone or must go within the week.

In the Marne campaign it could not be because of the rapidity of Klueke's advance, nor could it be won back by the British and French after the first Marne, because of the fashion in which the Germans had fortified it. Thus for four years the enemy have held the intermediate position between Paris and the frontier and from it have launched their offensives.

The surrender of all these important positions closes the German adventure in France. All that remains is the task of clearing up the German support lines south of the Belgian frontier, and these are being cleaned up with very great rapidity. At no distant time we may expect to see the German standing behind the Scheldt as far south as Condo and then along the frontier to the Meuse below Mezieres.

Back of this is the line covering Antwerp and Brussels, crossing the Sambré at Charleroi, reaching the Meuse south of Namur. In this line Namur will play the part of St. Gobain and Laon in the old line just broken, and Antwerp will replace Lille.

Along the whole of this line the Germans will have a thing absolutely essential now that the tank has become such an important factor in the conflict. This line will, too, be at least seventy-five miles shorter than the Hindenburg line, and on it we may now expect to see the

BRITISH ENTER TOWN OF THIELT

London, Oct. 18.—(4:35 p. m.)—British forces have occupied Thielt, it was reported this afternoon.

GERMANS MAY INUNDATE LOW BELGIAN LANDS

London, Oct. 18.—The Germans are preparing to inundate the low-lying lands south of the River Scheldt in eastern Belgium, a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam reports. The inhabitants have been ordered to abandon their homes immediately.

GERMANS MAKE THEIR FINAL STAND FOR THE YEAR

Driven out of this, they can hardly fail to fall back behind the Meuse covering their own frontier, with Liege as the anchorage and Namur as the keystone.

It was a matter of life and death to drive the enemy from his Paris front and break his hold upon the North sea littoral, and the British will expect these things were accomplished could they safely turn his attention to the old Prussian-German frontier, where the first fighting of the war took place.

But at all times it has been plain that if the menace to Paris and to the Channel ports were abolished, the next step would be to carry the war into Germany. This is possible because from Metz to the Rhine the allies are either on the frontier or inside it.

Once Germany is threatened along the Rhine, she will have to recall her troops from Belgium, and Belgium will escape the horrors recently resulting from a forced evacuation of France.

Germany may be the next two weeks suffer a Sedan. The new stroke at Lille carries with it obvious possibilities.

But if the German army is defeated and retreat, the German army may collapse at any new strain. But if the Sedan does not come within ten days, we may look for a new offensive, probably an American offensive—in sum, France is freed, the liberation of Belgium comes next, but it may be accomplished in a matter of what is of much more value now—the invasion of Germany—and this is at hand.

PRESIDENT CONCERNED OVER ECONOMICAL LIFE

Washington, Oct. 18.—President Wilson was very much concerned about the "attack" the inclusion of the older age limits in the new 18 to 45 draft law.

"I am sure upon the economic life of the country." So much so that he himself has dictated very largely the course to be pursued in framing the regulations governing deferred classification of those engaged in essential occupations.

This was revealed by Provost Marshal-General Crowder in his testimony before the house appropriations committee, which was made public today. The general's testimony was given in the committee was considering the \$6,245,664 4-deficiency appropriation bill, which the house is expected to pass this afternoon. One item in the measure provides \$20,000 for the expense of the new draft.

Expert Advisers.

President Wilson has also personally approved a plan to station in the area of each district draft board three expert advisers to determine the exemption or deferred classification of those engaged in "various civil activities that are essential to be maintained in the nation's interest during the war," Gen. Crowder informed Representative Swager, Kentucky, chairman of the committee.

One of these expert advisers is to be designated by the department of labor, another by the department of agriculture and the third by the district draft board itself. "They are to receive from the government," Gen. Crowder explained, "all the special studies that have been made respecting the shortage of manpower—not military manpower, but industrial and economic manpower—and from time to time confer with the district draft board."

Study Difficulties.

They may study the difficulties of any particular line of employment and go before the district board with their conclusions as to what line of administration will meet the situation. The district board, advised in this way, is expected to conserve in a more effective way than heretofore the economic life of the country. It was in response to a question by Representative John Egan, of New Jersey, a member of the committee, as to "what provision is to be made, if any, to give deferred classification to men who are indispensable in banks or other financial institutions" that Gen. Crowder revealed the president's deep concern regarding the conservation of that important part of the nation's manpower which is so essential to its industrial, business or economic life.

Gen. Crowder recalled that in order to pave the way for exemptions of that kind congress had been asked by him to amend the draft law by substituting the words "occupations and employments" for the words "industries, including agriculture," which involved deferred classifications under the first draft.

Congress, however, adopted this form, "industries, occupations and employments, including agriculture," Gen. Crowder pointed out, "thus broadening the application of the draft law to employments outside of the field of industry and agriculture."

"That would reach banking," he concluded, "and it would reach various other civil activities that are essential to be maintained in the national interest during the war. With that enlarged statutory authority, we have proceeded to frame regulations which will make it the duty of all of our draft boards to consider and pass upon applications for deferment on the grounds of these other occupations and employments."

MEETING POSTPONED

Alhambra Temple to Comply With Ruling of Department.

The members of the Alhambra Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, have been notified that the stated meeting scheduled for Friday night will not be held in compliance with the orders of the health department. As this meeting was the last before the ceremonial session to take place on Nov. 4 in connection with the official visitation of the Imperial Potentate, the members of the Divan will meet in the palmroom of the Read house at 10:30 p. m. Saturday for the purpose of completing plans for the ceremonial.

It is expected that the present epidemic will have subsided before the date of the forthcoming ceremony, and the members are going ahead with their plans to make the event one of the most interesting of that of the several ceremonies which have been held during the year. It will in fact mark the culmination of a year of activity that has put Alhambra Temple in the forefront as one of the liveliest and most aggressive temples of the Mystic Shrine in the United States. The members of the temple, complimented over the fact that they consented to visit Alhambra Temple, as their committee have been appointed to arrange for his reception and entertainment, although in deference to the health of the elaborate function and the purpose of the visitation of Imperial Potentate is being eliminated by Alhambra and other temples throughout the country.

CALL FOR AIRPLANES

Washington, Oct. 18.—Major Gen. Kenney, director of military aeronautics, announced today that in a letter from Rear Admiral C. F. Goodrich, U. S. N., the admiral quoted the following remark from a letter sent him by a friend, Lord Sydenham, who, as Maj. George S. Clarke, of the Royal Engineers, is a great authority on fortifications:

"Impress upon your people that ten thousand airplanes at this junction are worth more than 500,000 combatants afloat, and will not require nearly so much transport. We can bring Germany to terms by air force, that is certain."

TRADING IN COFFEE FUTURES SUSPENDED

New York, Oct. 18.—Advances in the price of coffee in the Brazilian market to above the maximum price fixed in this country by the federal food administration caused the board of managers of the New York coffee and sugar exchange today to suspend trading in coffee futures.

Meanwhile negotiations are in progress between officials of the exchange and the food administration looking to an adjustment of the situation.

Last February the food administration fixed a maximum future price of 5 1/2c a pound for spot months, which meant that traders could not do business above that price. Since the ruling the Brazil coffee market has been advancing owing to rumors of peace and damaged crop prospects. The local spot market has been following the Brazilian trend, Rio No. 7 being quoted here today at 10 1/2c.

In consequence there has been virtually no coffee futures trading in New York for the last two or three weeks, and actual coffee have been, it was said, in a difficult position because they could not buy in the contracts when they had sold their spot coffee.

Reports were current here today that the food administration is negotiating with Brazil with a view to supplying the coffee requirement of the United States. The food administration, it was said, already has put control of the imports and distribution of coffee in its hands, and a sugar equalization committee, which for some months has been in charge of the marketing of sugar, trading in coffee futures was suspended on the floor of the exchange nearly a year ago.

It was announced that twenty-four hours would be given of a resumption of trading in coffee futures.

GULF DISTURBANCE BLOCKED

Washington, Oct. 18.—The Gulf disturbance appears over Louisiana this morning, weather bureau officials today reported. It apparently has been blocked by an area of high pressure of considerable magnitude central over the upper lakes region.

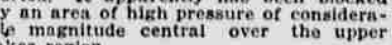
OLIVER TRIAL POSTPONED

Knoxville, Oct. 18.—(Special.)—Preliminary hearing of Wm. J. Oliver and the other nine defendants who are charged with fraud and sabotage, has been postponed for about two weeks, due to the influenza epidemic. The hearing had been set for next Tuesday, but will not be held until it is considered safe to assemble large crowds together again.

Over 100 witnesses are to be examined in this hearing, states United States District Attorney W. T. Kennerly, and the federal courtroom is expected to be packed.

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